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Community will not suspend publication during the vacation months. It is a permanent fixture in the district and will be published throughout the entire year. The paper is here, not only as a feature of the school advantages but as an adjunct of usefulness to all the community.

COMMUNITY

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TEAM WORK AND ITS GOAL.

The attempt to speak for any community of individuals can not but seem in these days to be presumptuous, unless and until the editorial "we" is felt to be, essentially and fundamentally, the community "we". The editorial "we" may voice, but it must not attempt to dominate, the community thought. It is at its best we feel; if, trusting the fundamental rightness, in the long run, of community thought; it be content with the faithful performance of its proper function of interpreting, clarifying and unifying that thought. In a word; understandingly interpreting for and to its readers, the flow of life,—material, intellectual, spiritual—that makes up what we know as a community. The axe then, we would grind, is the broad-axe of the community, and it is our humble hope that more and more each individual reader of "Community" may come to feel its editorial "we" as the real "we" of his home group.

In order to do this we must often and as simply as may be, reiterate the things we take for granted. Here are some that seem timely to us now. The first is our sufficient warrant for presenting all of them:

1. That present post-war conditions seriously demand of each of us more than mere superficial thinking.
2. That right thinking by each is fundamentally the only, and the sufficient, means of securing right adjustments for all.
3. That the community is the nest that hatches and mothers our thinking and its influence can not be judged and measured by its material commercial importance, nor circumscribed within the limits of its physical boundaries.
4. That in its intellectual and spiritual content, the community is fundamentally and essentially, the nation and the international.
5. That in times when many nations and individuals alike are disastrously adrift, and in a civilization that facilitates the easy sliding out of responsibilities in one community into the unearned advantages of another; these facts hold for us implications warranting and demanding a very necessary faith in the dignity and importance of our own small-town community life.

We easily call to mind examples of the resistless power, for good as for evil, of shared or community thinking. History is full of such instances. We think we may safely say it is the greatest, in fact fundamentally considered, the only really human power. This sharing therefore involves for each and for all, great possibilities as

well as grave responsibilities. If then the thinking of each today, is the developed life of community and nation tomorrow, how can we shamelessly hide behind the indolence of a "what's the use, what can I do"? What but paralysis can possibly be expected if fibers of muscles did likewise? Is it not in the light of some such considerations as these, that the members of the Boulder Creek community should make response to the call of its newly organized Improvement Club? How trivial then, reacting as a judgment upon the individual, must seem the score of reasons "why not" that so glibly slip off the end of the tongue, measuring the response of the unthinking to a fundamental need.

This very relation of individual to community, involving as it does the basic conception of freedom, we would wish to clarify for us all; and so offer it as the focus of this article. Freedom is loosely and superficially thought to be a matter of "do as you please". This can be true for each of course, only as and to the extent that the freedom of one does not encroach upon the equal freedom of another. A bee working alone would undoubtedly construct a cylindrical cell. Working as one of a double sheet of co-workers, his cell is conditioned by the operations of six equally busy surrounding bees, and the result is hexagonal cells, better and far more economical for the purpose. Observe that it is no studied art of individual bee that works out the best possible store-house for the good things of his life. Likewise the fullest measure of freedom for the good things of our own lives, is in a conditioned, a disciplined freedom. Disciplined not by the mid-summer madness of politically-appointed legislators, nor by the heckling of legal checks and counterchecks; but by the natural automatic effect upon "what one chooses to do" that a whole-souled life as a part of a real community imposes. The principles of this discipline can not be made up artificially, any more than one can construct the laws of gravity. These laws are natural laws to be discovered, not constructed. What we need is not law-makers—God knows we have enough such—but law discoverers.

The child does not learn of gravity from parental "don'ts" but from bumps. We learn to talk, not from grammars, but by talking together; and we learn to live by living together and not otherwise.

Consider these two words, "living together". The greatest conception of mankind's greatest teacher is hidden in them—"a kingdom of heaven," or in other words a community of the happy. Observe that living together does not mean one above another, nor does living together mean half a life for one and surfeit for another. Community means then, association on terms of equality of opportunity of each to think, to do, and to enjoy, aided and conditioned by a like opportunity for all. This is to be disciplined to freedom.

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WELCOME NEWS

The president of the Boulder Creek Sanitary Commission informs us that action is being taken to abate the long-lamented sewer nuisance. Estimates are to be submitted to the supervisors in time for action at their yearly budget meeting in July. It is presumed that favorable action by them will so establish the financial standing of the Sanitary Commission that banking arrangements can be made for the immediate prosecution of the much needed repairs to the sewer system.

At the disincorporation of the town, the sewer system could not be transferred to the county. For years it was left to take care of itself. Finally the sanitary commission was elected as the only legal means for its care. Unfamiliarity with the technicalities of this rather unusual commission, and chronic difficulty in getting together, accounts for the long delay. Those who are acquainted with the circumstances, realize something of the difficulties under which these men have labored and appreciate the more heartily the persistence that has finally resulted in action.

HIGH SCHOOL PLAYS

SCORE BIG SUCCESS

Thursday evening, June 16, the public of the Boulder Creek Union High School District enjoyed the pleasure of witnessing three delightful one act plays.

After a well rendered piano introductory by Martha Whitever the curtain rose and disclosed to the delighted eye the beautiful setting of the "Florist Shop".

Alice Hesse as Mrs. Schosky, the proprietor, June Williams, as Maud the salesgirl, Dean Johnson, as Roland Hill as the faithful but cautious suitor on the desert air sustained well their parts in this clever little sketch of real life.

The next playlet introduced us to other of the students equally talented and as well received. This little playlet also portrayed characters whom we all know and created many bursts of merriment by the audience. Julia Perini and Virginia Hill were exceptionally pleasing in their portrayals, while Doris Hartman as the talkative aunt fairly convulsed the house.

In "A Difference in Clocks" Anna Withrow as the old maid and Tom Aram as her suitor were unable to agree but those who witnessed their presentation of these characters find no difficulty at all in agreeing that they "know how".

The stage settings, the business man-

PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES

Our public library deserves special mention. The hours when the library is open to the public have been arranged by the librarian, Mrs. R. L. Christensen, as follows:

LIBRARY HOURS

| Afternoons | Evenings |
|---------------|--------------|
| Monday | Monday 6:30 |
| Tuesday 1:30 | Wednesday to |
| Thursday to | Friday 8:30 |
| Saturday 4:30 | |

The following list of magazines and current papers are worthy of note:

Children's table

University of Calif. Bulletin
Something to Do
St. Nicholas
American Boy
Christian Science Sentinel

On magazine table

American.
World's Work.
Good Housekeeping.
Woman's Home Companion.
The Literary Digest.
The Delineator.
Home Journal.
A Key to Families of Marine Fishes.
United States Navy.
Harper's Magazines
Christian Science Sentinel.
Christian Science Journal.
American Forestry

Files.

Woman's Home Journal.
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Popular Mechanics.
American Boy.

Daily Newspaper.

San Francisco Chronicle.

agement and the quality of the acting speak volumes of the effort, ability and spirit of the coaches, Miss Neuman and Miss Dexter.

Pupils and teachers are deserving of the generous praises accorded them by those who saw their achievement.

BOULDER CREEK SCHOOL

PLAY

Primeval play in primeval setting! Comes tramping through the woods to nature's fitting stage, From out the childhood of the race, Beguiling and unmistakable array Marshalled by Mother Goose.

Big, round, yellow, Man-in-the-moon, Ovoidal Humpty, approaching his doom, Black-robed goose — emblazoned mother, (Untold generations love her).

With fiddlers three, comes old King Cole And bearers of his pipe and bowl. Red train upborne, the Queen of Hearts Followed by Knave on the trail of tarts.

Little Boy Blue and his trumpet too. Fairies, crows, and singers all, Answering alike the Mother's call.

Horner of the itching thumb, Hunting the corner to pluck the plum. Spratt the lean in tall red cap,

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A-walking a lap of his crooked-mile.
And old Mother Hubbard lagging a-limp,
Trailing old Tray whom cupboard doth skimp.

Group by group in center of stage,
Unfolds the dreams of childhood's age.
Revolving about and rather rotund,
Man-in-the-moon who's pretty well sunned.
Little-Bo-Peep so fast asleep,
Awakened by "baa" of surrounding sheep.
Little Miss Muffit of the curds and whey,
Horrific spider frightening her away.
Fairy dance and flapping crows,
Maid of the clothes and the snipped-off-nose.
Humpty's fall and helpless throes,
Heckled by two obstreperous crows.

After the play, a simple presentation of diplomas to the graduates: Ruth Zastrow (Mother-Goose), Sam Wasel, Della Reynolds, Bernice Swarthout, Ruth Ralston, James Velasco, Joseph Funge, and Stephen Hoag.

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Last but by no means least in the estimation of each of the school children, the presentation by the Parent-Teachers' Association of tickets entitling the holder to an ice-cream treat at some one of the ice cream parlors.

We are sorry for you if you missed this delightful musical fantasy. You have gone farther and fared worse at the hands of more noted players. Properly to appreciate it you should view it against the memory background of the old time "Examination Day." If your memory does not serve you, ask some "old" boy or girl; or better, read again the twenty-first chapter of "Tom Sawyer". Be thankful for the passing of an age tried to melt the youngsters and pour them into an adult mould. Help speed the age that trains the child for the future by training it to make the fullest use of its present.

STUDENT BODY MEETING,

A Student Body Meeting was held Wednesday, June 8, for the purpose of changing the school colors. Black and red replaced green and white, the former colors. The election of school officers for the ensuing term was also held. The following returns showed:

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|-----------------|----------------|
| President | Rowland Hill |
| Vice President | Jessie Aram |
| Secretary | Wallace Pearce |
| Treasurer | June Williams |
| Business Mgr. | Alice Hesse |
| Book Store Mgr. | Thomas Aram |
| Editor | Virginia Hill |
| Yell Leader, | Arthur Woods. |
| Atheletic Mgr. | Dean Johnson |

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NOTARY WORK—INSURANCE

PERSONALS

Mrs. Endress and children, William, James, Elizabeth and John, are spending the vacation at their home "The Dells" with some friends, Miss Ainge and Mr. Ward.

The family of Rev. H. H. Powell is at their summer home in Boulder Creek.

Community Mention.

Mr. Vaughn, a representative of the District Attorney's office in Santa Cruz, met the Sanitary Board of Boulder Creek, to go over the matter of sewers for the town. The sewage problem has been one of moment for some time but is now receiving attention that will greatly improve conditions. A subscription paper has been circulated among those most interested and a sum well over \$50 has been subscribed for immediate relief.

The newly organized Boulder Creek Improvement club met Monday night at the New Alpine and the town is already beginning to realize the benefits to be derived from concerted effort. The matter of sewers is receiving attention and considerable is being done to improve the appearance of the locality. The S. P. Park is being improved and other matters are receiving attention, which is only a beginning of the work contemplated. It is a good thing to push along and through its efforts much good can come to the community that will have a lasting effect.

! BASEBALL!

The Ben Lomond Giants found the Boulder Creek Wildcats' claw in the game of baseball played on the Wyckoff grounds last Sunday afternoon, and pulled the claw so hard that all the Wildcats could do was to

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scratch out one solitary score. It was a hotly contested game from start to finish, neither side scoring a run until the sixth inning and the score at the close of the game was 2 to 1 in favor of the Ben Lomond Giants. It was the kind of a game to please league fans and the pitching of Ralston for the Boulder Creek team and that of Nielson for Ben Lomond was of a class to win admiration as the score indicates.

The Giants made a strong "come-back" to pay the Wildcats for the trimming of the week before when the score stood Wildcats, 20 and Giants, 4.

On July 4th the Warren School Camp team plays the Ben Lomond team on the Wyckoff field.

OUR KALEIDOSCOPE

Had Usual Features

"There was a strange man here to see you today, papa," said little Ethel, who met him in the hall as he came home on Wednesday night. "Did he have a bill?" "No, papa, he had just a plain nose."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

Not Tenderly Raised

"Say, waiter, is this an incubator chicken? It tastes like it." "I don't know, sir." "It must be. Any chicken that has had a mother could never get as tough as this one is."—Southern California Wampus.

Politics in the Home

Little Bobbie—"Mom, get me a bag of peanuts. I wanna feed the elephant."

Mom—"No, Bobbie; papa is a Democrat and he wouldn't approve of your feeding the Republican party emblem."—Houston Post.

His Quitting Time

Senior Partner—Is that new clerk a young man who watches the clock?

Junior Partner—No, but I've noticed that he watches the stenographer. As soon as she begins powdering her nose he puts up the books.—Boston Transcript.

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Lodges and Organizations

- I. Boulder Creek Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, holds its regular meeting every Thursday at 8:00 p. m., in Odd Fellows' Hall, corner Central avenue and Forest street. Sojourning brethren and all members are cordially invited to attend.
- F. Noble Grand, W. F. Horstman Rec. Sec'y., J. H. Aram.

Idlewild Rebecca Lodge 251, I.O.O. F., meets every second and fourth Monday evening of the month.

Court Wildwood No. 633 I.O.F. (Independent Order Foresters) meets the last Saturday of each month.

CHURCH NOTICES.

St. Michael's (Catholic) Church, Boulder Creek—Mass every 2nd and 4th Sunday at 10 o'clock A. M.

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The Christian Science Society, Boulder Creek. Regular services every Sunday at 11 a. m. at Forester's Hall. All are cordially invited to attend.

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THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, BEN LOMOND.

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Song service 7:45 p. m.
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
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Methodist Church, Boulder Creek, Rev. C. F. Withrow, pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend all services.

Young People's Bible Class (interdenominational) Sunday, 6:30 p. m. at M. E. Church. All welcome.

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Flag Day Program.

Tuesday, June 14th the High School and members of the community were entertained by the Grammar School Flagday Program. They were well worked out and entertaining. Everyone seemed to have caught the spirit of occasion.

The exercises were held at 9 o'clock on the H.S. tennis court. Music was furnished by the organ which had been brought from the Grammar School. The program started with the oath of allegiance and then the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner," by both schools. The remaining program was as follows:-

Stars and Stripes, Upper Grade
The Flag Forever, Marshal Mosher
Drill, 1st and 2nd Grades
Old Glory, John Ercole
Patriotic Pledges, Robert Johnson,
Annie Locatelli, Shirley Cress
and Dorothy Guthrie.

Flag of the Free, Upper Grade
America's Creed, Upper Grade.

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BEN LOMOND NEWS

This community was very much saddened by the news of the death of Miss Clara Jones, a former Ben Lomond girl. She was a graduate of the Ben Lomond Grammar School and attended Boulder Creek High for three years. Besides a host of friends and relatives she leaves her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Jones; a sister Mrs. Florence O'Rear of San Francisco and a brother, William Jones, of Ben Lomond.

Mrs. Oscar Tolle and friend, Mrs. Krause, are at "Tollenstein".

William Huddleson of Santa Cruz is the guest of Mrs. F. Hughes and son, Charles Paradis.

Mrs. Katherine Nielson and son Francis are occupying their cottage at The Falls.

Mrs. Newell and son are visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Knowles at The Falls.

Mrs. Hensell and daughters of San Francisco are occupying the Bjolstad cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Doble, Jr., were guests of Betty Hensell for the week end.

Ben Lomond school closed Friday, June 10. The commencement program was given at Park Hall Thursday evening. There were seven graduates: Eugene Andrews, Roger Andrews, Harvey Hammond, Carol and Richard Fortriede, Clarence Coon and James Nerney. Miss Cecil M. Davis, county superintendent of schools presented the graduates with their diplomas and gave an interesting talk on "Co-operation".

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here for the summer.

Miss Rose McCabe has arrived at her home for the summer. She has been teaching near King City.

The Y. M. H. A. of San Francisco are at Camp Thunder for the summer. They are about 35 in number and are enjoying themselves swimming and hiking.

The William Warren School boys of Menlo Park are at their summer camp near Newell Junction. They report having a fine time.

A detachment of Boy Scouts is camped up Love Creek at the "Tumble Inn".

The Ben Lomond Boys' club gave another of their enjoyable dances in the hall Saturday evening and plan to give a dance there every Saturday night for the remainder of the season. Also a dance July 2nd and 4th with San Francisco music.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Broadwater of Berkeley and their family are occupying their beautiful home "Brown Gables" for the summer.

The new highway between Ben Lomond and Felton will be open to travel next week and detour troubles will come to an end.

Miss Julia McCabe is again filling a clerical position at the postoffice and the store of W. H. Nicholson. This is Miss McCabe's third season in this position and both the tourists and local people have only words of praise for her efficient service.

Mr. John Cole motored down from Rutherford last week for a visit with his mother and sister at the Wisteria on the hillside.

Mrs. Grace Smith and daughter Lois are occupying their apartment at the Wisteria for the summer vacation.

Mrs. Marsh and daughters Olive and Roberta have rented the Bjolstad cottage.

Mrs. Harrington and two children are visiting Mrs. Marsh.

Miss Marie Bjolstad, who has been the house guest of Mrs. R. T. Ling at Sunnyside for the last two weeks, returned to her home in San Francisco Thursday.

Mrs. P. R. Poulsson and daughter Marie of San Francisco, are spending a few weeks in the Townsend apartment.

Mrs. C. Dedekan and daughter Elsie, are occupying the Sundstrom cottage.

Mr. Dedekan and Mr. Poulsson of San Francisco, will motor to Los Gatos and from there come by train to spend the nation's birthday with their respective families in Ben Lomond.

FAREWELL BREAKFAST

Miss A. L. Mac Menus of the Crows Nest, Ben Lomond, last Tuesday tendered a farewell breakfast to Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lane, before their departure to take up ranch life on their newly purchased ranch near Aptos. Eight guests were present and Miss Helen Cole, who is quite a noted artist, designed the place cards. The toasts, mingled with the aroma of fried chicken and coffee were all bright and original. A poem suitable to the occasion was read by the hostess. Mr. and Mrs. Lane, who have been in Ben Lomond for several months have made many warm friends who will regret their going but wish them every success in their new undertaking.

Straight From the Shoulder

Mr. Gnaggs—"And you used to say you wouldn't marry the best man living."

Mrs. Gnaggs—"Well, I have the satisfaction of knowing that I kept my word."—Philadelphia Record.

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